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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
KENJI YAMAGATA, ET AL.) : Examiner: S. MacArthur
Application No.: 10/733,361) : Group Art Unit: 1763
Filed: December 12, 2003) :
For: PROCESSING APPARATUS)
FOR PROCESSING) :
SUBSTRATE BY PROCESS)
SOLUTION : July 15, 2005

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 20, 2005, please amend the
above-identified application, as follows: